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**SUBJECT: New Export Information Code “ZD”
New Appendix R – Exemption Statements**

The October 2000 Automated Export System Trade Interface Requirements (AESTIR) has been updated to reflect the latest revisions made to the Automated Export System (AES). For complete details on the modifications made to the AESTIR documentation, please link to <http://www.customs.gov/> and click on AES Technical Documentation, AESTIR October 2000, Summary of Changes.

Automated Export System Trade Interface Requirements (AESTIR)* *October 2000
SUMMARY OF CHANGES Revised MAY2002

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PART I General Information:

The Bureau of Export Administration (BXA) has been renamed to the Bureau of Industry and Security (BIS)

PART II AES RECORD FORMATS:

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PART III APPENDICES:

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APPENDIX A – AES Common Error Messages

043 FATAL ERROR – Invalid USPP Postal Code

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APPENDIX E – Export Information Codes

Export Information Code

ZD

Description

North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) duty deferral shipments. Customs entry type “08” filed as entry type “06” with correct reporting of FTZ number and entry summary number from entry summary.

APPENDIX R – Exemption Statements

New

If you have any questions regarding these changes or need additional information, please do not hesitate to call your AES Customs or Census Client Representative. Thank you for your continued cooperation and AES support.